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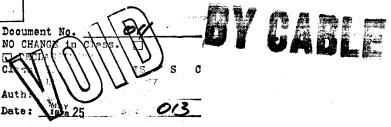
- 1. The senior engineering class of Tsinghua University, Peiping, returned to Peiping from a tour of industrial plants in Manchuria. Members of the class stated that they were the only (sic) persons north of the Great Wall who were not in uniform. There is resentment among the Chinese of the Soviet anti-Chinese attitude, and the memory of the "unspeakable Soviet troops \* is still fresh.
- 2. Twenty-four students of Tsinghua University, who went to the Harbin Russian Language School, found the ten-hour daily course very difficult; their criticism resulted in their dismissal with a warning to leave Manchuria within ten hours. In early July they were back in Peiping, and unable to re-enter Tsinghua University.
- 3. In early July the opinion current in Peiping was that the Chinese Communist Government would be in operation by 1 October 1949, with Peiping as the capital.

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Comment. The students were presumably reporting the resentment by local Manchurians toward the Soviets who occupied Manchuria after the Japanese surrender.

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